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AMENDMENT A, RESPONSE, AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This Amendment A and Response and Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are in response to the non-final office action mailed October 13, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period to response that expired December 13, 2004. Applicants herein request an extension of time to submit this response.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.